# STRONG CLOSING OF STOCK MARKET

United States Steel and the Coppers Leaders of Day's Trading.

SENTIMENT IMPROVING

Rockefeller Foundation Is Looked Upon as Convincing Bull Argument,

New York, March 5.—Stocks had a trong closing to-day with Steel and no Coppers leadership. A feature that itracted widespread attintion was no excitement on the curb in the tock of the InterContenntal Rubber contents in the transthe excitement of the intercontinental Russessock of the InterContinental Russes Stock of the New York Stock Exchange, General sentiment was much improved and no apprehension was felt over the strike situation in Phil-

ders are now being placed.

Railroads Prosperous.

The prosperity of the railroads is being proved by the declaration of an extra dividend of 8 per cent. by the Lake Shore, making an 18 per cent distribution for the year 1910 by that company. This will enable New York Central to increase its dividend to 6 per cent. Pennsylvania is expected to increase its dividend to 7 per cent. John D. Rockefeller astonished the world by his plans to establish a benevolent trust of gigantic proportions. This was foreshadowed by the retirement of young Rockefeller from the oil board on January 11, and by his retirement from the steel board last week.

New York, March 5.—Money on call nominal; time loans slightly firmer; sixty days, 8 1-2 per cent, and ninety days, 3 1-2@3 3-4; six months, 3 7-5. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4 1-2@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.8455@\$4.5505 for sixty-day bills, and at \$4.8735 for demand. Commercial bills, \$4.84 1-4@\$4.84 8-4. Bar sliver, 50 3-4. Moxican dollars, 44.

## Thomas Branch & Co.

New York Stock Exchange New York Cotton Exchange

Private Wires to

### Official Range and Sale of Stocks in New York

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#### CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS

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July	74.49	14.49	14.31	14.3
August	1 2.85	13.85	13.73	13.7
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\*\*RICHMOND STOCK MARKET\*\*

Richmond, Va., March 5, 1910.

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New Orleans, La., March 5.—Cotton—Spot cotton casy and unchanged. Sales on the spot 425 bales; to arrive, 880 bales; hedged cotton, 100 bales. Futures opened steady at a decline of 294 points. Very little business was done on the first call, and no and the Liverpool market were circulated on the list call, and no of the particle and very bullish private messages from the Liverpool market were circulated on the list call, and no of the particle and the market eased off on liquidation of long cotton until at the end of the first half hour of trading the more active months were 9911 points under yesterday's closing. The weather map was again dry, and reports from Texas said that, with planting time only a few days off, the situation was ortical in some cotton districts. Traders, however, were not willing to base new operations on weather conditions.

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sell out long cotton. At the lowest of the morning the old crop months stood 1820 points under yesterday's closing, while the points under yesterday's closing, while the new crops were 8 points down. The closing was steady at a net decline of 1721 points on the old crops and 7 points on October. The net result in the cotton market this week is slight. The more active months in the future market closed either unchanged or at a slight advance compared with last week's closing. July stood unchanged at 16.53, while the other months showed advances of 326 points. At one time around the middle of the week the old crop options were the best part of \$2 a bale over last week a21 the new crops stood 22 points up, but profut-aking by longs destroyed this gain.

It was a week of buillab developments.

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	LOCAL PRODUCE MAI	RKE	r.	
	(Furnished by E. W. Evans & sion Merchants.) Richmond, Va., M	arch	5.	1910.
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CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, Ill., March 5.—The wheat market
roke violently here to-day following a
oderate upturn early in the session and

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24.400 bushels; corn, 119,700 bushels; oats, 122, 200 bushels.

Cash Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.15@1.29; No. 3 red, \$1.15@1.29; No. 2 red, \$1.15@1.29; No. 3 red, \$1.15@1.29; No. 4 red, \$1.15@1.29; No. 3 red, \$1.15

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

CATTLE MARKETS.

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Chicago, Ill., March 5.—Cattic-Receipts estimated at 1.200 head. March steady, Beeves, \$263.10; Texas steers, \$4.70@5.30; Western steers, \$4.70@5.30; Western steers, \$4.70@5.30; stockers and feasters, \$2.50@5.20; cows and heifers, \$2.50@5.30; calves, \$7.50@5.00; Hosey, \$1.000 head. Market strong to 5c. higher. Light, \$3.50@10.09; mixed, \$3.50@10.09; heavy, \$9.50@10.09; rough, \$1.50@7.80; good ic choice heavy, \$5.30@10.09; pigs, \$3.10@9.50; buik of asies, \$1.500 head. Market steady. Native, \$5.50; log. western, \$5.50@5.10; western, \$5.50.50; log. western, \$5.50.50; limbs, native, \$8.00@0.40; western, \$5.50.50; limbs, native, \$8.00.50.50; l

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New York, March 5.—Beeves—Receipts 1,838 end. No trade in live-cattle; feeling stendy, alves—Receipts 240 head. No trade; feeling stendy. Dressed calves quiet at last quotaons. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 3,12 head. seeling firm for sheep; weak for lambs. logs—Receipts 3,220 head. Half car of light one so and at 35.85; firm for medium and eavy weights; stendy for others.

RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET.

Richmond, Va., March 5, 1919.

Brights-Unchanged. Quiet, but firm. Fair receipts. Dark Tobacco-Receipts liberal, Market steady at unchanged prices. Sundarket steady at unchanged prices. Sundarket active at prices quoted for all sound stock.

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ij	Long leaf 9.00	0	12.00
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ı	Medium 0.00	0	11.50
ı	Fine 12.00	6	13.00
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#### MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

PEANUT MARKET.
(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)
Potersbutz, Va., March 6.—Peanuts—
Spanish.—Firm at \$1.25 per bushels; receipts
light. Virgi-as.—Steady. Bunch, 4%-65c.;
fancy, 4%-4%c.; machine picked, 3%-@44c.;
shelling stock, 3%-@4c.

DRY GOODS MARKET. New York, March 5.-The primary cotton goods market was quiet to-day. There was no slackening in the deman door linen goods, and prices are strongly maintained. The burlap market was rather quiet and some sellers quoted prices on large quanti-ties under regular market rates.

NAVAL STORES.

Wilmington, N. C., March 5.—Spirits Turpentine—Steady at 5%; receipts 10 casks.

Rosin—Receipts 40 barrels. Tar—Firm at \$2; receipts 13: barrels. Crude Turpentine—Steady at \$3@4.60 and \$5.76.

Savannah, Ga., March 5.—Spirits Turpentine—Firm at 60c; sales 53 casks; receipts 114 casks; shipments 152 casks; stock 15,23 casks. Rosin—Firm; sales 605 barrels; receipts 1.685 barrels; shipments 2.773 barrels; stock 103.30 barrels. Quote: B, \$4.00.

New Orleans, La., March \$.—Rosin—Receipts 61 barrels.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, MARCH 5, 1910.

Steamer Berkeley, Steily, Noriok, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.
Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, Noriok and James River landings, merchandise and passengers, Virginia Navigation Company.
Steamer Aurora, Furman, Petersburg and James River landings, merchandise and passengers, Phillips Line.
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100 at week. The statement follows:
55 Loans, \$1,241,435,800; increase, \$10;
65½ 337,800.

Boards of Trade and Commercial Clubs Should Advertise and Then Hustle Vigorously.

In a recent address before the Commercial Club, of Montgomery, Ala., M. V. Richards, land and industrial agent of the Southern Railway Company, put forth from his experience of many years in work for development of the South some salient thoughts bearing upon town and country growth. Among the truths set forth by him are the tollowing:

"The city or town which is anxious to secure new industries must have something more than a command of raw materials or available sites. It must work for them; work hard and wisely.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Yards.)

Report of the live stock market for the week ending February 28:

Receipts—Cattle, 37 head; caves, 32 head; sheep, 63 head; hoss, 583 head.

Cattle—Best steers, 54%c.; medium to good.

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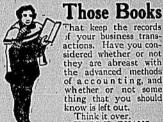
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